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HERMETIC SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE  
PACKAGES AND SEMICONDUCTOR  
DEVICES INCLUDING  
STEREOLITHOGRAPHICALLY  
FABRICATED HERMETIC PACKAGES

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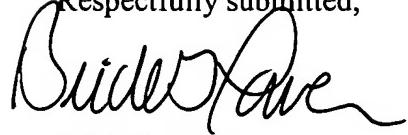
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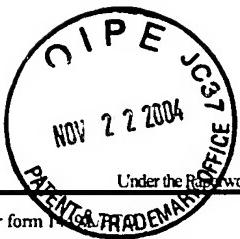
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